

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION DATED SEPTEMBER 15, 2006

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

Please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 19 of this paper.